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This is a request for filing a Continuation-In-Part (C.I.P.) of prior copending U.S. Patent application U.S. Serial No. 10/645,689 filed on August 20, 2003 entitled "Diffraction Grating-Based Optical Identification Element".

Title as filed: Diffraction Grating-Based Optical Identification Element
Diffraction Grating-Based Optical Identification Element

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